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Magnetic Type Stepping Motor

1. A magnet type stepping motor comprising

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2002, please amend the above-FAX COPY RECEIVED captioned patent application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 1.

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(1) a stator having three-phase statof windings, and 6m pieces of stator main pole arranged side by side, where m is an integer and ≥ 1 , the stator windings of one phase being wound around a first stator main pole and every third stator main pole among the 6m pieces of the stator main pole, wherein when the stator windings of one phase are excited with

pieces of stator main pole, and

(2) a rotor of a cylindrical permanent magnet magnetized in the circumferential direction so as to form Z/2 pieces of N pole and Z/2 pieces of S pole alternately, where Z is the number of rotor poles.

a direct current, m pieces of N pole and m/pieces of S pole are formed alternately on the 6m